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KURTZ, CRAIG AND KLOCKED FROM BLAKE.

PART I FOR KURTZ.

1. REF IS MADE TO YOUR QUERIES DURING MY VISIT TO YOUR HQS ON
14 SEPTEMBER 62.

2. INTERCEPT TASKING OF YOUR FACS INVOLVED IN CUBAN PROBLEM HAVE
BEEN EXAMINED AND THE FOLLOWING CAN BE STATED:

(A)

ACHIEVE THE REQUIRED REPORTING

CAPABILITY, LOCAL INTERCEPT CONTROL RESPONSIBILITIES WILL BE
INCREASED, ALTHOUGH THE DEGREE OF CONTROL MUST BE REGULATED TO
PRECLUDE DUPLICATION OF COVERAGE AMONG YOUR FACILITIES, ASA, AVSS

FACILITIES ALSO TASKED WITH CUBAN TARGETS. ALSO, THE

OPNS OFFICERS CAN

EMPLOY NSA-CONTROLLED POSITS ON TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY UP TO
24 HOURS WITHOUT NOTIFYING THIS AGENCY CONTINUE TO BE EFFECTIVE.

(B)

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IS CORRELATING

ON A HIGH PRIORITY BASIS. THE PRESENT EQUIPMENT, WHEN AUGMENTED BY

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USN/D, Cpt. D31

GORDON A. BLAKE, LTJEN, USAF, DIR

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ADDL EQUIP ALREADY ON ORDER, WILL DOUBLE OUR PROCESSING CAPABILITY
AND WILL ALLOW FOR THE TIMELY CUBAN
INTERCEPT. TO ALLOW FOR THE CURRENT PROCESSING EFFORT, EQUIP AND
PERS WERE DIVERTED FROM OTHER HIGH PRIORITY TASKS TO ENABLE THE
PROCESSING OF THE CUBAN TAKE AS EXPEDITIOUSLY AS POSSIBLE AND
PROVIDE YOU WITH TIMELY TECH SUPPORT. ACTION TO FORWARD APPROPRIATE
COLLATERAL INFORMATION HAS BEEN EXPEDITED. YOUR RECOMMENDATIONS
ON HOW THIS PROCESSING CAPABILITY CAN BE ENHANCED OR TECH SUPP
IMPROVED WOULD BE MOST WELCOME.

(C) THE HIGH PRIORITY GIVEN TO THE CUBAN PROBLEM WITHOUT
INCREASED AUTHORIZATIONS FOR PERS HAS STRAINED THE SIGINT COMMUNITY
IN TERMS OF RESOURCES AVAIL FOR DIVERSION AGAINST THIS TARGET. THE
NSG HAS RESPONDED ADMIRABLY TO THIS HIGH PRIORITY TASK. WE LOOK
TO YOU TO CONTINUE TO PROVIDE A STRONG ELEMENT OF LEADERSHIP IN
SECURING MOST EFFECTIVE UTILIZATION OF RESOURCES ALLOCATED TO THIS
REQUIREMENT. THE CLOSE LIAISON WITH CINCLANT MAINTAINED BY
DIRNAVSECGRULANT AND NSA REPRESENTATIVES WILL ENABLE US, THROUGH
THEIR RECOMMENDATIONS, TO PROVIDE A BETTER RESPONSE TO CINCLANT

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INTELL REQUIREMENTS.

3. I WILL CONTINUE TO DIVERT TO THE CUBAN PROBLEM AS MANY RESOURCES
AS IS CONSISTENT WITH MAINTAINING OUR WORLD WIDE SIGINT POSTURE.
YOUR SUGGESTIONS AND/OR RECOMMENDATIONS IN THIS REGARD ARE MOST
WELCOME.

PART II FOR CRAIG AND KLOCK.

1. YOUR ACTIONS TO DATE HIGHLY COMMENDABLE IN SUPPORT OF DIVERSIONS
TO ACCOMMODATE CUBAN PROBLEM. I KNOW YOU WILL CONTINUE THIS SUPPORT
FOR HSG IN CARRYING OUT THE RESPONSIBILITIES FOR SPECIAL ATTENTION

I HAVE ASKED ADM KURTZ TO PROVIDE IN PART I ABOVE. YOUR RECOMMENDATIONS
ALSO SOLICITED.

M/R: Part I of this message discussed with D32;
PO4/05; and concurred in by Mr. Buffam,
for ADP; and RADM L. R. Schulz, ADN. Part II added by the Director.

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